Qualifications of Judge and Assistant Judge.

Terms of office.

Disqualification.

Biennial appointment of Judge and Assistant Judge by County Commissioners.

- SEC. 3. That the Judge and the Assistant Judge of the Juvenile Court of Forsyth County shall each be licensed attorneys and qualified voters of said county. They shall hold their respective offices for a term of two years after appointment, as herein provided, but upon trial and conviction of a felony by a court of competent jurisdiction said judge or assistant judge shall be disqualified to further hold the office of judge or assistant judge.
- SEC. 4. The County Commissioners of Forsyth County shall elect a judge and an assistant judge of the juvenile court who shall assume their respective offices at the end of the present term of office of the present juvenile court judge. Said judges shall hold their offices until their successors have been elected and qualified, or until they become disqualified as set out in Section three hereof. Every two years after its first election of said judges the Board of County Commissioners shall elect successor judges, but in the discretion of the board said judge or assistant judge may be elected to succeed himself.

Duties of Assistant Judge.

Compensation.

(A) In the event of absence or disability of the judge of the juvenile court the assistant judge shall act in his stead. The assistant judge shall receive for each day that he serves the same compensation on a per diem basis as the regular judge receives. Said compensation to be paid by the regular judge of the juvenile court.

Compensation of regular Judge.

(B) The salary of the judge shall be fixed, from time to time, by said Board of County Commissioners.

Oath of office of regular and Assistant Judges. (C) Before entering upon the duties of his office, the judge and the assistant judge shall take and subscribe to a written oath of office, which shall be filed with the Clerk of Superior Court of the county.

Power, authority and jurisdiction of Juvenile Court. SEC. 5. The said Juvenile Court of Forsyth County shall have, and is hereby vested with all the powers, authority, and jurisdiction heretofore vested by law for the juvenile courts of North Carolina, and said power, authority, and jurisdiction being as fully vested in the Juvenile Court of Forsyth County as if particularly set forth herein in detail.

Assistance to Juvenile Court by county officials. SEC. 6. That it shall be the duty of all officers of the County of Forsyth to assist the juvenile court in any and all ways in the line of their official duty as fully and to the same extent and in the same manner as they have been authorized and required to do heretofore in the case of all other courts of said county.

City of Winston-Salem and Forsyth County may combine juvenile court work. SEC. 7. That the governing body of the City of Winston-Salem may, with the consent of the County Commissioners of Forsyth County, and upon such terms as may be agreed upon by contract between the governing body of the City of Winston-Salem and the Commissioners of Forsyth County, combine its juvenile court work with that of Forsyth County and shall thereafter during